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RENEWED REQUEST UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.497(d)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a renewed Request to amend inventorship pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.497(d). A first Request was filed August 12, 2002. A Decision was mailed on December 30, 2002. The Decision stated that the Request filed on August 12, 2002 met requirements (1) and (2) of 37

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C.F.R. 1.497(d). However, the Decision stated that the Request filed on August 12, 2002 did not meet requirement (3) of 37 C.F.R. 1.497(d), because, in the Consent of the Assignee, the title of the signing officer allegedly did not provide apparent authority to bind the assignee.

Accordingly, the Request filed on August 12, 2002 was refused.

In response to the Decision, Applicants now submit a Renewed Request under 37 C.F.R. 1.49. A clear and legible copy of a Consent of Assignee to Delete an Originally Named Inventor and of a Certificate under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) are enclosed. The Consent and the Certificate state that the signing officer has the power to bind the assignee DAVID SYSTEMS TECHNOLOGY, S.L. The Consent also identifies the Reel and Frame number at under which the assignment to the assignee DAVID SYSTEMS TECHNOLOGY, S.L. is recorded.

Since a Statement of Facts by each inventor being deleted and a check in the amount of \$130 in payment of the fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) were previously submitted together with the Request filed on August 12, 2002, it is respectfully submitted that all the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.49 have been met. No fee is believed to be due for this communication. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4377.

Respectfully submitted,

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